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RE: CG Docket No. 03-123

Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street SW Washington, DC 20554

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I, along with other hearing and Deaf individuals, use these services in both my work and personal life. It is an important way in which I/we communicate. I urge you to do everything you can to make VRS service available to the many deaf people who currently do have access to this vital, life-changing service.

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